of the Industries (Development and Regulation) Act, 1951 have been received from the State Government Undertakings of Kerala including KSIDC and from private entrepreneurs. Of these 123 applications, 56 applications have been rejected/otherwise disposed off, 60 Letters of Intent have been issued, and the remaining 7 are at various stages of processing. Details of the applications which are at various stages of processing are not divulged till the Government has taken a final decision thereon.

Drilling operation at Vanudurru in Krishna—Godavari Basin

2078. SHRI PRABHAKAR RAO KALVALA : Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Oil and Natural Gas Commission (ONGC) has conducted drilling operations at Vanudurru in Krishna-Godavari basin (Andhra Pradesh); and

(b) if so, what are the details of the drilling and the amount so far spent thereon ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI BRAHM DUTT) : (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. A well Vanudurru-I was drilled to a depth of 3138 metres during 1986-87 but it prove to be dry.

The cost of the well was Rs. 396.56 lakhs including depreciation on rig and equipment.

Central investment in various Public Sector units in Rajasthan

2079. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA : Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state :

(a) the annual investment of the Central Government in various districts of Rajasthan during the last three years in each of the public sector industrial units and the details thereof;

(b) the rate and percentage of the same in comparison to other States;

(c) whether Rajasthan Government has requested the Central Government for increasing the investment in the various public sector units;

(d) if so, the steps taken thereon; and

(e) what are the plans and estimates of the Central Government for investment in public sector units during the years 1988, 1989 and 1990 ?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO) : (a) Investment in terms of gross block in the Central Public Sector Enterprises having their registered office in the State of Rajasthan during the last three years for which the information is available is as under :—

Sl.No.	Name of Public Sector Undertaking	Investment in terms of gross block (Rs. in crores)		
		1986-87	1985-86	1984-85
1	Hindustan Zinc Ltd.	279.19	264.23	243 10
2	Instrumentation Ltd.	23.77	20.80	18 84
3	Sambar Salts Ltd.	3.88	3.86	3.65
4	Rajasthan Drugs & Chemicals Ltd.	0.93	0.90	0.89
5	Rajasthan Electronics & Instruments Ltd.	1.63	1.04	0.81
6	Hindustan Salts Ltd.	1.27	1.15	1.15

(b) The percentage investment in terms of gross block in the state of Rajasthan as compared to that of other States available as on 31-3-1987 for which period the information is available is given in the enclosed statement. (*See* below.)

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Does not arise in view of (c) above.

(e) The total allocation of outlay for the Central Public Sector Enterprises in the State of Rajasthan during the Seventh Five Year Plan (1985-90) in the Industry and Mineral Sector is Rs. 175.79 crores.

Statement

Sl.No	Name of States/Union Territories	Gross Block as on 31-3-1987 (Rs. in crores)	% to total
1	Andhra Pradesh	6761.52	9 94
2	Assam	3898.72	5 60
3	Bihar	6969 20	10.24
4	Gujarat	3197.79	4 70
5	Himachal Pradesh	527 43	0 78
6	Haryana	649 69	0.05
7	Jammu & Kashmir	117.84	0.17
8	Karnataka	1721.52	2.53
9	Kerala	1074.44	1 58
10	Madhya Pradesh	8571 69	12 60
11	Maharashtra	10905.09	16 02
12	Manipur	139.68	0 21
13	Nagaland	78.17	0 11
14	Orissa	4637.65	6 81
15	Punjab	641.02	0.94
16	Rajasthan	780.95	1.15
17	Tamil Nadu	3018.82	4 44
18	Tripura	160 83	0 24
19	Uttar Pradesh	3913.96	5 75
20	West Bengal	4524 94	6 65
21	Andaman & Nicobar	9.89	0.01
22	Delhi	1928.48	2 83
23	Goa	35.27	0.05
24	Pondicherry	8.53	0 01
25	Other States/Union Territories	8.88	0.02
26	Unallocated	3859.87	5.67
	TOTAL	68051.87	100 00